

# Society

By MELLIFICIA. Wednesday, June 30, 1915.

**A BLUE BIRD** was the "something blue" on Miss Genevieve Champ Clark's wedding gown when she became the bride of James M. Thompson of New Orleans today.

The wedding was celebrated at the home of the bride's parents at Bowling Green this afternoon, and Miss Clark lived up to every word of the old-fashioned rhyme and superstition which says: "Something old and something new, something borrowed and something blue."

The something old was a hand embroidered underkirt that Mrs. Clark wore on her wedding day; and the "something borrowed" was rare old lace that came from the chest of a St. Louis matron, an old friend of the family.

The blue bird was pinned to her gown and came as a gift from friends in Washington. Miss Clark received several offers of bridal veils and had the opportunity to select from veils of plain tulle, which held historic sentiments, veils of priceless lace, which dated back to colonial days, and one of rose point, which is said to have been worn by a queen.

### At the Country Club.

Others entertaining at dinner this evening at the Country club will include Mr. Elmer Redick, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Koenig, who will have ten guests; Mr. and Mrs. Butler, four; Mr. and Mrs. Ward M. Burgess, six; Mr. Luther Drake, twenty, and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sprague, ten.

Complimentary to Miss Eleanor Washburn, who is the guest of Miss Helen Eastman, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Reed will entertain at dinner this evening at the Country club. Garden flowers will decorate the table and the guests will include:

- Misses—Eleanor Washburn, Josephine Congdon, Helen Eastman, Esther Wilhelm, Lucille Bacon, Lucille Green, Elizabeth Head, Stella Thummler, Erna Reed, Frances Hochstetler.
- Mezars—Jack Summers, Clarence Peters, Herbert Connell, Robert Burns, Bob Connell, Fred Clarke.

Mr. Al. Busch will give a dinner this evening at the Country club in honor of Miss Marjorie Bond of Boston, the house guest of Miss Helen Epenester. Covers will be placed for:

- Misses—Marjorie Bond, Martha Dale, Miesera, Leon Callahan, Alex Loomis.
- Mezars—Marjorie Howland, Helen Epenester, Jack Schaeppie, Al Busch.

### At Happy Hollow.

The Ladies' Bowling club entertained this afternoon at the Happy Hollow club. Mrs. W. B. Whitehorn will give a luncheon Thursday at the Happy Hollow club.

Among those entertaining at dinner last evening at the Happy Hollow club were: Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Doyle, Mr. C. F. Weller, Charles Burke, J. A. Gilmore, C. O. Hamilton, Robert Cowell, H. S. Byrne, A. Brandon Howell, A. F. Austin, H. B. Porter, H. L. Hamilton, W. W. Sibaugh, Harry Koch.

### At the Field Club.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Shackelford will give a dinner this evening at the Field club. Covers will be placed for: Dr. and Mrs. A. C. Stokes, Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Potts, Messrs. and Mesdames Eugene Duval, C. B. Shackelford, J. M. Shackelford, Mrs. Potts of Virginia, Miss Madeline Shackelford, Mr. Wright.

Dr. and Mrs. H. C. Sumney will entertain at dinner this evening. Their guests will be:

- Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Pearce, Misses—Helen Pearce, Virginia Pearce, Harriet Barnes, With Mr. and Mrs. Krans will be: Messrs. and Mesdames—Thomas B. Coleman, W. K. Holtz, Messrs—Leslie Krans, Ervin Krans.

### To California.

Mr. and Mrs. William Hill Clarke leave Saturday for a three months' stay in California. They will spend the month of July in San Francisco, where they will be joined by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Burgess and later they will go to Southern California for two months.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Preston leave Saturday for California, where they will visit for six weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cooley and family expect to leave Sunday for Lake City, where they will stop while enroute to California.

### Dinner Dance Thursday.

A dinner dance will be given at the Omaha Country club Thursday evening, July 1, at 7:30 o'clock, to the members of the Wednesday Evening Dancing club by the following unmarried men of the club:

- Messrs.—Charles W. Hull, Charles L. Saunders, Stockton Hath, Lucius Wahley, Earl W. Gannett, A. B. Warren, Randall K. Brown, L. B. Bushman, Harry T. McCormick, Charles L. Doud, W. Farnam Smith, Frank Burkley, Luther Drake.

### With the Visitors.

Mrs. David Dezen and daughter, Miss Henrietta, arrived this morning and are guests of Mrs. Dezen's father, Mr. A. Heller.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry F. Hartung have as their guests, Mrs. M. A. Thiman and daughter of Phoenix, Ariz., and Miss Freda Hartung of Columbia, Ala. Miss Sharlock Sher of Reading, Pa., is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Philip Sher.

### Dancing Party.

Mrs. Thomas Brown gave a dancing party last evening at her home in honor of her son Tom, who has just returned from Racine college. The living room and library were decorated with bitter sweet and the dining room was ablaze with crimson ramblers. The guests entertained were:

- Misses—Edna Biese, Phyllis Stebbins, Martha Stone, Mary Brown, Ruth Gilchrist, Frank Mackay, Margaret Lowry, Ruth Hochstetler, Nancy Hamilton, Franca Kelly, Mary Hamilton, Virginia Lucas, Augusta Mangoght, Myrtle Adams, Myrtle Brown, Lucille Bacon, Dorothy Brown, Lucie Williams.
- Messrs.—Walter Woodrough, Frank Neegowoh, Dr. John Kelly, Arthur Sturgess, E. S. Dodge, Guy Burns, J. Burns, Earl Nyra, Harold Miller.

### Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Culey are visiting in New York City. Mr. and Mrs. N. H. Loomis will return tomorrow from New Haven, Conn., where they have been for two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rutledge have returned from the Stanford and have taken

## JUNE BRIDES HERE FEWER IN NUMBER

Divorces for the Month Show an Increase, According to the Court Records.

BRIDES AVERAGE 23 YEARS

Up to noon yesterday only 263 marriage licenses had been granted during the last month in Douglas county, while in June of 1914, 304 were issued. Fifty-nine divorce suits were begun in June, 1915, as compared with fifty-three in 1914.

The average June bride of 1915 in Omaha is 23 years of age, according to statistics prepared in the office of the county judge. Of the total number of brides of the month, 113 were born in Nebraska and thirty-nine in Iowa. Twenty-five were born in the following foreign countries: Russia, Austria, Italy, Poland, Ireland, Sweden, Scotland, Denmark, Germany, Canada and England. Others were born in California, Massachusetts, Utah, Missouri, Indiana, Kansas, Illinois, Wisconsin, New York, Texas, Louisiana, Virginia, Arkansas, South Dakota, Kentucky, Oklahoma, Montana, Minnesota, Missouri and Wyoming.

The average June bride in Omaha chooses a husband just 27 years of age, according to statistics. More than twenty-five brides and about the same number of bridegrooms, however declined to tell their real ages. It is believed that were these figures known they would raise the age of the average bride and bridegrooms to approximately 28 and 29 years.

## War is Declared on Seaweed at Carter

The war is on! Few will be spared, for General "Bud" Kearns and thirty of his best warriors are on the warpath in earnest. However, it's seaweed that they're fighting against, so President Wilson need not be summoned as mediator. The war cry results from the seaweed in the east end of Carter lake threatening to block the channel from the Young Men's Christian Association park to the other part of the lake.

Thirty workers will use various methods, including big loops of barbed wire, in pulling out the masses of moss. When their work is finished this evening, hot coffee and sandwiches will be served on shore by those of the fair sex who are also interested in canoeing.

## Church Plans About Ready for Bidders

Revised plans and specifications for the \$125,000 new First Presbyterian church, to be erected at Thirty-fourth and Farnam streets, will be ready for consideration by contractors within a day or two, according to Robert Dempster, chairman of the building and plans committee of the congregation. Bids will be asked for this week and the contract will be let as soon as possible, Mr. Dempster says, in order to push the building to early completion. George B. Prins is the architect.

**Stop that Cough—Now.** When you catch cold or begin to cough take Dr. Bell's Pine-Par-Honey. It penetrates the throat and lungs. 25c. All druggists.—Advertisement.

## Circus Men Want to Get Into Ball Game

The riders, clowns and acrobats with the Wallace show that come here soon are apalling for a game of base ball after noon of July 11. They want the game called at 3 o'clock and are anxious to meet any good, clean team of amateurs, splitting the proceeds of the game. The circus ball players have a uniformed team that is said to have played a number of very creditable games this season.



## For Sauces and Gravies

For smooth, rich sauces and gravies **Cottage Milk** is the best. Sterilized in its original cans, it is superior to bottle milk. Its uniform richness down to the last drop always gives satisfactory results. Cottage Milk is always fresh, pure and sweet. It is the richest milk with most of the water taken out, perfectly sterilized—and with nothing added. Cottage Milk has more than twice the food value of bottle milk and lasts indefinitely. It is made in special condenseries under most sanitary conditions. The Milk Without the Cooked Taste. In Two Sizes—5 and 10c. At all Good Dealers. AMERICAN MILK CO. CHICAGO.

## Wealthy Cherry County Rancher Weds Nurse Who Restores His Life

George Christopher, a wealthy rancher of Cherry county, regained consciousness after a long sleep of typhoid fever recently at the Presbyterian hospital, and looked into the eyes of Miss Mabel Stawson, the nurse who had helped save his life.



MRS. GEORGE CHRISTOPHER.

Her skill and sympathy and friendship for him, and his admiration and gratitude toward her, rapidly ripened into mutual love during the patient's convalescence. The romance resulted in marriage here yesterday by Rev. T. J. Mackay.

Following a dinner for the wedding party at the Paxton hotel, Mr. and Mrs. Christopher started on a long honeymoon trip to Colorado, the Pacific coast, the two expositions, Arizona, New Mexico, Texas and then back to the Nebraska ranch home, twenty-five miles south of Valentine.

The bride originally came from the ranch country herself, having been born in Sherman county and graduated from the Loup City High school. After three years of teaching she entered a nurses' school and since then has had five years of training and practice.

When the man who was destined to become her husband was taken to the hospital, dangerously sick, perhaps her heart went out to him more than to other sufferers, for he was from the ranch country, where she was reared. Anyway, when she was assigned to his case she exerted her skill to save his life. As the ravages of the fever abated and the patient gradually came to himself again it was a most tender nurse with whom he became acquainted.

From that time on, the romance moved swiftly, to the end that Miss Stawson agreed to become Mrs. Christopher and go back to the ranch with the man she

had saved. The wedding was performed at her home, 911 Forest avenue, in the presence of friends of both.

Christopher was born a poor boy in Lancaster county, and went out to the ranch country in Cherry county, in 1906.

He proved so successful and enterprising that within ten years he has become a big land and cattle owner and the possessor of a wide and favorable acquaintance throughout the state in live stock circles, all of which he has earned himself.

His ranch, which will be the home of his romance bride, was selected by the state agricultural commission as a model in Cherry county, and motion pictures were made of it for the instruction of other ranchers.

## She Loves the Horse, but Not the Owner

Miss Marie Kolovratik, testifying in her suit in Judge Leslie's court in which she is demanding \$10,000 damages for alleged slander from Ludwig Madsen, formerly a friend, asserted that Madsen had been an unsuccessful suitor for her hand.

"He had a lovely trotting horse," Miss Kolovratik testified, "and he used to take me out riding. One night he proposed marriage."

"I told him that although I was very fond of his nice driving horse I could never learn to care enough for Mr. Madsen to marry him. But I always did love a fine horse."

Summer Tourist Excursions. Effective June 1, Nickel Plate road will sell reduced rate tickets to various eastern points. Confer with local agent or write John Y. Calahan, A. G. P. A., 66 W. Adams St., Chicago.

## BUSINESS MEN TO DECORATE FOR COMING SAENGERFEST

The entertainment committee of the Commercial club has been appointed by the executive committee to co-operate with the Saengerfest people in the matter of getting the proper decoration for the city during the Saengerfest fes-

ivities this summer. A systematic campaign for the decoration of all the principal business houses downtown for this occasion, the latter part of July, will be carried on.

## Diamonds as an Investment

There is nothing you can more securely invest your money in than Diamonds of high quality, such as you will find at the store of Combs.

Our large and varied stock of high grade stones offers you a wonderful opportunity in making selections.

Our prices are right and we guarantee everything just as represented. Twenty-five years of honest merchandising has made our store famous for fairness.



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# OUR GREAT July Clearing Sales Will Begin TUESDAY, JULY 6th

### Five Unusual Undermuslin Specials

- 125 Dozen Beautiful Embroidered Petticoats, made with single and double flounces. Special.....\$1.00
- 100 Dozen Beautiful Sheer Gowns in dainty embroideries and fine laces, ribbon trimmings.....\$1.00
- 80 Dozen Dainty Sheer Envelope Chemise, made of sheer lingerie cloth, lace and embroidery trimmings...\$1.00
- Two Extra Special Crepe de Chine Values. Envelope Chemise of dainty flesh and white crepe de chine, with lace edging. Special.....\$1.98
- Camisole of crepe de chine, made with pretty dainty laces and chiffon flowers.....\$1.00

### Blouse Values Unequaled

In this great sale which began Wednesday, these are bargains worth bragging about—the most exquisite creations you ever saw for the price.

- Crepe de Chine Blouses in white and flesh. Embroidered Jap Silk Blouses, Flowered Jap Silk Blouses, Dainty Lingerie Blouses, 1,500 Middy Blouses included in this lot.....89c
- Stunning models in Striped Madras and Dimity, Tub Silks and Dainty Voiles and Batistes—embroidery and lace trimmed.....\$1.45
- Striped Crepe de Chine, Flowered Jap Silks, Dimity Blouses, French Voile Blouses and Organdie.....\$1.95
- Georgette Crepe Blouses, Crepe de Chine Blouses, Fine Batiste, Fine Organdie and Striped Blouses.....\$2.98
- Organdie Blouses, Georgette Crepe Blouses and Crepe de Chine Blouses.....\$3.98
- Values to \$12.50. 1,500 Dress Blouses in Georgette Crepe Wonderful models.....\$5

### Specially Fine Values in Hosiery and Underwear

- Women's Pure Thread Silk Stockings—Fancy and plain colors, striped boots with plain silk tops and many other novelties. \$1 and \$1.25 values, special, pair.....69c
- Women's Silk Thread and Fiber Boot Stockings in black, white and colors; full fashioned and seamless. Special Thursday, pair.....25c
- Women's Lisle Thread Stockings, with high spliced soles, heels and toes; wide garter tops. Black and white. Regular 35c quality, pair.....15c
- Knit Underwear. Women's Fine Cotton Union Suits—Umbrella knee styles. Regular and extra sizes. Special, suit.....25c
- Women's Fine Lisle Vests—Swiss ribbed, Kayser and "Cumfy-Cut" styles. White and pink. 50c quality, Thursday, each.....39c

### Women Two-Clasp Silk Gloves

White with heavy embroidered black backs and black with heavy embroidered white backs. Regular 50c quality for Thursday only, at—

# 39c

Pair

These gloves are of a very good quality pure silk, all double tipped, guaranteed washable. They should sell very quickly at 39c a pair.

40 Dozen Women's Long Silk Gloves in black or white, worth up to 85c, at, pair.....59c

### The Summer Shoe Season Now at Its Zenith

Our assortments cover the whole field of Fashion—the entire range of summer and vacation needs—and every price grade from the lowest to the best. Always remember that whatever you buy here MUST be RIGHT in QUALITY and PRICE.

- 1,500 Pairs of Women's Fine \$3.50 Pumps with gray or fawn tops, new heels, new lasts; patent or dull leather. All sizes. Specially priced Thursday.....\$2.50
- White Tennis Shoes and Oxfords for Men and Women—First quality, white rubber soles; all sizes. Pair 75c to.....\$1.50
- Sport Shoes and Oxfords for Women—White buckskin, patent leather or tan calf trimmed; white ivory soles. Pair, \$3.95 and.....\$4.50

# Celebrate the 4th

## Electric Sparklers

### For a Safe and Sane Fourth

Patriotic celebration of Independence Day without danger to the little folks—the problem has been happily solved in

### American Beauty Electric Sparkler Golden Shower Torches

They are smokeless and odorless and can be used both indoors and outdoors. Get a supply of these wonderful, harmless novelties for your little folks at once.

They come packed 12 in a box for 5c, or 6 boxes for.....25c

The large ones called American Mammoth Torches, 36 inches long. Beauties are 10c a box, will burn 10 minutes. or 3 boxes for.....25c Special, each.....10c

President Wilson says everybody should own and display the United States Flag this year. Start now.

- American Flags—Extra quality, sewed stars and stripes; canvas headings. Size 3x5 feet. 49c
- American Flags—Moth-proof, Defiance Bunting. Sewed throughout, seams double stitched, stars sewed on both sides; canvas heading. Special prices for this week:
  - Size 3x5 feet.....\$1.25
  - Size 4x6 feet.....\$1.50
  - Size 5x8 feet.....\$2.00
  - Size 6x10 feet.....\$3.00
- Flags, size 4x6 feet.....75c
- Flags, size 5x8 feet.....98c
- Flags, size 6x10 feet.....\$1.50

Double Warp, All Wool Sewed Bunting Flags

- Size 3x5 feet.....\$1.98
- Size 4x6 feet.....\$2.50
- Size 5x8 feet.....\$3.50
- Size 6x12 feet.....\$7.50

Flags on sticks, 1c a dozen, and up to, each.....15c

## Remodeling A. HOSPE CO. SALE 1513 Douglas St